

### **AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION**

Please replace paragraph [00100] with following amended paragraph:

From the foregoing, it will be appreciated that specific embodiments of the invention have been described herein for purposes of illustration, but that various modifications may be made without deviating from the spirit and scope of the invention. For example, the systems described above can be used to store, launch and recover aircraft having arrangements different than those described above. In other embodiments, these systems can handle projectiles or other airborne devices. Further details of related systems and methods are described in the following co-pending U.S. Applications, filed concurrently herewith and incorporated herein by reference: U.S. Application No. 10/758,943, entitled "Methods and Apparatuses for Capturing and Storing Unmanned Aircraft, Including Methods and Apparatuses for Securing the Aircraft After Capture" (Perkins Coie Docket No. 36761-8002US01); U.S. Application No. 10/758,948, entitled "Methods and Apparatuses for Launching Unmanned Aircraft, Including Methods and Apparatuses for Transmitting Forces to the Aircraft During Launch" (Perkins Coie Docket No. 36761-8003US01); U.S. Application No. 10/758,956, entitled "Methods and Apparatuses for Capturing and Recovering Unmanned Aircraft, Including Extendable Capture Devices" (Perkins Coie Docket No. 36761-8004US01); U.S. Application No. 10/759,545, entitled "Methods and Apparatuses for Capturing Unmanned Aircraft and Constraining Motion of the Captured Aircraft" (Perkins Coie Docket No. 36761-8006US01); U.S. Application No. 10/758,940, entitled "Methods and Apparatus for Capturing and Recovering Unmanned Aircraft, Including a Cleat for Capturing Aircraft on a Line" (Perkins Coie Docket No. 36761-8007US01); U.S. Application No. 10/759,541, entitled "Methods and Apparatuses for Launching, Capturing, and Storing Unmanned Aircraft, Including a Container Having a Guide Structure for Aircraft Components" (Perkins Coie Docket No. 36761-8008US01); U.S. Application No. 10/760,150, entitled "Methods and Apparatuses for Launching Unmanned Aircraft, Including Methods and

Apparatuses for Launching Aircraft with a Wedge Action" (Perkins Coie Docket No. 36761-8012US01); and U.S. Application No. 10/758,955, entitled "Methods and Apparatuses for Launching Unmanned Aircraft, Including Methods and Apparatuses for Releasably Gripping Aircraft During Launch" (Perkins Coie Docket No. 36761-8013US01). Accordingly, the invention is not limited except as by the appended claims.